

NINETY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE

SECOND SESSION

LEGISLATIVE RESOLUTION 288

Introduced by D. Pederson, 42

WHEREAS, lifeguards are trained to recognize the warning signs of swimmers in trouble and to react quickly; and

WHEREAS, lifeguards Ryan Thompson, Jered Jorgensen, and Eric Danielson rescued a nine-year-old boy and, through the application of life-saving techniques carried out until paramedics arrived, saved his life; and

WHEREAS, lifeguards Ryan Thompson, Jered Jorgensen, and Eric Danielson are to be commended for the skill and performance they demonstrated in administering such techniques and procedures and in saving the life of a nine-year-old boy at the North Platte Recreation Complex.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MEMBERS OF THE NINETY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE OF NEBRASKA, SECOND SESSION:

1. That the Legislature congratulates and commends these three young men and Supervisor and Lifeguard Training Instructor Trudy Merritt for their valiant efforts and quick actions. Their selfless act will compel each of us to become more aware of our own contributions to the preservation of society and our neighbors.

2. That a copy of this resolution be sent to the families of each of these young men and Supervisor Merritt.

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PRESIDENT OF THE LEGISLATURE

I, Patrick J. O'Donnell, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Legislative Resolution 288, which was passed by the Legislature of Nebraska in the Ninety-sixth Legislature, Second Session, on the XXXX(words)XXXX day of January 2000.

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CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE